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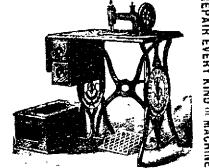
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In England, as elsewhere, the professional tramp prospers because he makes it his business to get at the weak side of everybody in skillful wise. He has always an ostensible pursuit, which he varies according to circumstances, and under cover of which he begs and swindles almost without height But let us take a professional tramp on his rounds. Here we find some difficulty in making choice among the numerous varieties of fencers and takers, hawkers and dodgers, that compose the body. There are a hundred and fifty such varieties at least, every one having its own peculiarities, and every one well worth studying. The putter-up will serve our purpose as well as any. This is a personage who travels about to procue information for house-breakers, and to smooth the way before them. He is never alone, because he is well aware that there are places to which he can never gain access, be his skill and plausibility what they may, and persons who will never allow him to approach them, while in most instances a duly accomplished fende will accomplish with ease the task which he finds impossible. The man himself is preposessing and intelligent, always has a impossible. The man houself is pre-presessing and intelligent, always has a possessing and intelligent, always has a great amount of multifarious information, and not intrequently is highly educated, and the woman is even more interesting their biniself.

The pair reach the scene of operations, and betake them to different become. Thought this how in counter

houses. Though they hunt in couples, it would not do for them to show themat would not do for them to show those selves to the public too much together. Each puts up at a quiet and highly re-spectable lodging. Toward evening the man drops in at the tramp-house, where such visitors are common. Hither are bound to come for information all those predatory rascals who are compelled to maintain appearances, and who, therefore, dure not lodge in the tramp-houses. The usual signs pass between landlord and visitor, and the latter explains that he requires certain information concerning the neighborhood. He is shown into a little gloomy hole, barely larger than a good-sized cupboard, but well away from caves-droppers and observation, and therefore just the place for confidential colloque between two shady people. In a little while the agent makes his appearance. He is a graypeople. In a little while the agent makes his appearance. He is a gray-harred, gaunt, weather-heaten veteran, very much stooped at the shoulders, and in very shallov attire. He has a patch over one eye. The remaining one, however, is bright enough, and the unshaven face is hard and shrewd-looking. A reputation for extreme ago endles him to assume the drived of semility whenever awkward people, as the police, pester him with awkward questions. He has been a fixture in the tramp house for eight or nine vears past ever since he was taken on to fill the place of just such another who had re-

place of just such another who had re-treated to the work-house to die in peace. This one will do the same in his peace. This one will no the same in los furn cre long, and then there will be an-other broken-down tramp ready to fill the vacancy. Ostensibly he is woodchopper, boot-cleaner, messenger, and that sort of thing In reality he is adviser of the tramps frequenting the house concerning the best routes, the best houses along them, and the best ways of utilizing both, for forty miles round. He has traversed them all, highway and by-way, over and over, in days gone by; and constant intercourse with vagahonds of all sorts and from all quarters keeps him just as well acquainted with this wide stretch of counquanted win this ware street of con-try, and all that concerns tramps there-in, as he was in his best days. There is no tramp-house in the kingdom without

such a retainer: in fact, he is indispens-The old man carries a roll of papers and a ledger, which he places on the table heside the visito. Their intercourse begins with a little drinking and hobiobbing, and while they are so engaged we will take a look at the ongaged we win in the rolling map of England, with all the roads had down, and the distances from town to town carefully marked. This is as it can be taken in a good from the publisher; but there is a good deal more besides. It is thickly nearked m most directions, especially in the countries adjoining this particular tramphouse, with crosses, squares, diamonds, ovals, triangles, and other marks neatly drawn in ink, and all very pregnant of meaning to the interpreter; and he will instruct the querist of the moment in every one that concerns his projected themselves and its horizontal transcent in the concerns his projected themselves and its horizontal transcent in the concerns his projected themselves and its horizontal transcent. tramp and its business, but not a par-ticle beyond. The cross denotes that there the police are strict, and the

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NEW 90-P. BAND CATALOGUE FOR 1812 SEEN FREE to any address, 150 lituseria and like interpreter is prepared to expand these hints to the satisfaction of the visitor whenever called upon to do so. In short, the ledger of the tramples with hell instruments to which hell instruments to which it is instruments. Will also gold or sliver plating, a will also gold or sliver plating, repairing, & . Will also gold or sliver plating, repairing and pumped its interpreter dry on the matters which interest him, our putter-

up pays his fee, and is then referred to one or more of a class whom we shall one or more of a class whom we brain term discreet tradesmen for further in-formation. He seeks them in turn, and the interview with one is a type of the interview with all. He finds the tradesinterview with all. He finds the tradesman behind his counter, walks up familiarly, and requests half an hour's private conversation. The request is accompanied by some peculiar little gesture which warns the man addressed of the nature of the business, and it is granted on the instant. The pair are soon in the grocer's little parlor, busy negotiating. The conversation is exceedingly guarded on both sides, The grocer knows perfectly well the sort of a man he has before him, and the uses to which he will put whatever informaa man he has before him, and the uses to which he will put whatever information he may get: nevertheless, if the putter-up were to say a single word in his real character, the discreet tradesman would flame up in virtuous indignation, and show him to the door.

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his real character, the discreet tradesman would flame up in virtuous indignation, and show him to the door.

The visitor accordingly veils his purpose under a plausible excuse—as, for instance, he is a scientist whose special hobby compels him to acquaint himself with the domestic arrangements of the aristocracy, these things having so much to do with the moral and intellectual development of the class. The grocer acquiesces, explaining that he has been visited more than once by such gentlemen, the last, seven or eight months before, being a sarent who held that there was an intimate connection between the turn of a man's ideas on Indian finance and the way he fastened his back door, and who was collecting materials in support of the theory. He adds that he is always happy to further the interests of science to the best of his ability. Then the pair come to the point. There are three or four houses here-aways, slates the visitor, whose architecture is very peculiar, and whose domestic arrangements are equally peculiar, as he has heard. He has no doubt in the world that details would confirm his scientific views: but how is he to ascertain them? He cannot go to the heads of families and ask for what he wants; that were an act which no amount of scientine arifor would excuse. Still, he would dearly like to obtain the information. The grocer quite appreciates the predicament, hints that he could supply the want, and opines that under the circumstances the act would be perfectly honorable—nay, even praiseworthy. However, to do this in suitable style would take time, and with a tradesman time is money. Quite so, agrees the putter-up, and the terms are arranged in the same hypocritical tashion. Hurper's Weekly.

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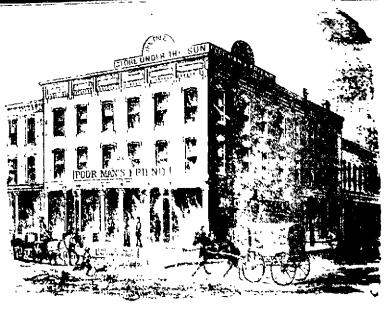
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> For Congressman—14th District, JONATHAN H. ROWELL, Of McLean county.

For State Senster-Sth Distract, JASON ROGERS. Of Macon county

Maine's election for state officers, congressmen and a legislature will take place next Monday. The vote of that state in 1880 for president was: Garfield, 74,039; Hancock, 69,-453; Weaver, 4,408; Dow, 93. The legislature to be chosen will elect a United States senator to succeed Mr. Frye. The new governor will have the appointment of four judges of the supreme judicial court of the state. The last legislature was Republican by a majority of thirty on publican by a majority of thirty on terance in a few brief words to the principles of the grand old party of progress, and pictured what had been done 182. The present congressional deline the past by her trusted regeriation from the state consists of resentatives. The Republican party had three Republicans and two Fu-

saw such an era of prosperity, happiness and thrift as at present. The democrats held a convention at Springfield the other day, but the speaker remarked that he had long since ceased being surprised at anything democratic conventions would or might do. They sheared the Just now the Democratic Courier Journal is very much disgusted with its party. It says, "On half the swindles of the day half the Demoerats in congress are Republicans, and a third of the Republicans are Democrats. We shall not win, nor deserve to win as long as this lasts. We shall hold states, perhaps, and occasionally have a majority in one or other of the houses of congress, but we alrall not have the means to Decatur, First District—Wm. Dodson, David M. Berlin, T. L. Autrim, W.C. Johns, J. A. Brown, W. S. Nichols, Micha-el McGinty, J. J. Peddecord and Henry perfect any measure looking to the improvement of our government or any of its departments."

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"Crystal Wedding" Celebration.
Be Married - At the residence of the beile and groom in Decatur, Ill., on Fulder evening, Sept. 8, 1882, by Ira B. Curtis, J. P., Mr. Theo. A. Gellemann and Miss. Atousta Louise Pauline Emiliar Theo. A. Golfmann.

Third District - C. M. Imboden, W. C. Andress, Cass Chenoweth, James Hollinger, A. T. Hill and E. P. Veil.

Foorth District - James H. Millikin, D.

This interesting ceremony, which was first performed fifteen years ago, was 1e- 1 pented last evening to add to the interest of the surprise celebration of the crystal | H. wedding celebration of the couple. The affair was secretly and successfully planned by friends of the family, who were also aware of the fact that yesterday was Mr. Gehrman's 12d birthday anniversary. All the unexpected callers were warmly welcomed by the surprised couple, A sumptions repast was served by the company, which included Mr. and Mrs. 1, I., Ferriss, son and daughter, I. A. Buckinghun, Louis Westerman, P. Kuny, G. W. Bright, Edwin Philbrook, F. A. Kor-myer, E.L.C. Bassey, and their wives, Mrs. H. Mueller and daughter, Mesdames Λ_c M. Bell, A. Goodman, B. W. Dillehunt, Martha Diffehunt, Misses Jose and Nannie Anderson, Pettie Buckingham, Au- Schroll. gusta Westerman, and Margaret Crocker, of Maior Dr. Curtis, Messrs. L. L. Haworth, P. H. Brucek, C. L. Smith, W. S. Lapham, Fritz and May Westerman and others. The company presented Mr. and Mrs. G. a benatiful crackel glass pitcher, glass celery holder, and set of sauce and fruit dishes, the testimonial speech being spoken by Mr. Buckingham. Mrs. G. recerved an elegant bouquet fruit dish from the members of the society of which she is president. The occasion was a hoppy affair throughout, which was largely due to the management of Mis. Westerman, who arranged the surprise.

The Docatur Sin ols The city schools will reopen for the reg-

ular term next. Monday forenoon at nine a clock. Those who were admitted to the high school on the examination held on Sept. 2 are: Louie Davidson, Emma Matthews, Inez Matthews, Jennie Wells, Fred Parice, Las. Johnson, Jennie Berlin, It is known yet whether or not pupils who have not been here before will be taken in. It depends on the size of the crowd Monday morning. Pupils entering the high school should go provided with Ihllaird's Sixth Reader, Guyot's Physical Geography, Walton's Written Arithmetic, Sherwood's Speller, a blank for writing spelling lessons and a School Hynn and Tunk book. The book for language study can be purchased afterwards as the teacher may direct.

The Triple Tragedy. Nothing new has been developed in reference to the tripple murder. The expression, "The woods are full of detectives," has become a common one, but they report no definite discoveries; but, notwithstanding nothing of importance can withstanding nothing of importance can be learned, it is carnestly whispered that "something will drop" in a very short time. Springfield seems to contain par-ties who are strongly suspicioned by the detectives, but no names can be learned. It is reported that Mrs. Matheney, mother of Robert Matheney, the lately murdered young man, is becoming insane. She is heart-broken over the awful death of her The greatest precautions are being taken to prevent the total loss of her reason. In accordance with this none of the effects of the deceased young man have been taken home, Mrs. Matheney's friends fearing a sight of them would produce an ffect fatal, to her reason. Mt. Pulaski

From Taylorville. Yesterday Miss Bond was still improv-

ing. It is thought she will now get well unless a relaxee is taken which is not anticipated. The defendants, Montgomery, Pettus and Clementi are all at home engaged in farm work and there is no excitement in the community concerning them. This information was procured from a respinsible individual and one who knows whereof he affirms, and may be considered reliable.

The invitations were sent out this morning for the marriage of Miss Notic M. Large, niege of Judge Nelson, and Mr. Herbert W. Bartholomew, which will be solemnized in the Christian church on Wednesday evening, Sept. 20, at 8 o'clock. the time of his absence. Reception at the home of Mr. Nelson at

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH. REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION Enthusiastic Gathering-Greer for edge, Wood for Treasurer, Foster for Sheriff, Philbrook for Superin-tendent, Bendure for Coroner, and Crocker for Represent-

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promised to do certain things with which all are familiar, and she has kept her pledge to the letter, until now we never

or might do. They cheered the pastor

who gave utterance to that democratic

prayer as published in these columns yes-terday. The Captain repeated the prayer

verbatim, and also referred in no flatter

ing manuer to the financial and prohibi-tion planks in the platform adopted. The speaker was repeatedly applauded, and retired, thanking the delegates for their

The report of the committee on creden

Fourth District - James H. Millikin, D. A. Mafit, J. B. Winebrenner and Thos.

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Oakley John McCoy and Geo. Peck.
Harristown J. D. McGuire and J. B.

Macon Isaac Peeper, C. N. Walls, J. D. Henghill and S. E. Smith. Illmi D. Binker, Levi Hall and John

Austin Wilson Clark.
Mt. Zion -J. A. Henry, James A. Wil-

On motion of C. N. Walls the tempor-

ary organization was made permanent.

E. P. Vail offered a motion that in case

any delegation not filled is instructed,

then the chairman of that delegation be

authorized to cast the ballot of the dele

On motion of James Freeman it was

voted that the votes of the district and

township delegations be east by the char-man of each delegation.

For county clerk, E. P. Vail placed in nomination George P. Hardy, of Decidur. For the same office Jerome R. Gorin, of Decatur, was placed in nomination by J. C. Robey, of Wheatland. J. A. Barnes withdrew the name of Mr. Gorin, and on in dion Mr. Hardy was declared the nomination by the generation.

nee of the convention by acclamation.

For county treasurer, I. R. Mills placed

in nonmation George M. Wood, of De-catur, and he was declared the nomince

For County Superintendent of Schools, C. N. Walls nominated John T. Montgomery, but his more was withdrawn by Mr. Johns.

mane was withdrawn by Mr. JOHNS.
Then, A. Gehrmann placed Edwin Philbrook, of Decatur, in nomination. (The motion not to place a candidate in nomination for Superintendent was voted down by an overwheiming majority.) The nomination of Mr. Philbrook was made unanimous.

For sheriff I. R. Mills named William W. Fos-ter, of Decatur, and he was declared the non-

For coroner C. M. Imboden placed Jesse 1

tendure, of Decatur, in nomination, and he was declared the nominee by acclamation.

For Representative the name of John H. Procker, of Marca, was presented by Major Emery. The name of Dr. William Sturges, of Marcon, was presented by C. N. Watis.

CROCKER SOMISATED.

The nomination of John H. Crocker was

THE AMENDMENT QUESTION.

E. P. Vail offered the following resolu

ions, which were adopted amidst loud

Resolved. That the Republicans of Macon

Resided. That the Republicans of Macon county, believing in the theory that the people are the source of all power and have a right to determine what shall be the fundamental law of the state, are in favor of the submission of an amendment to the constitution of Illinois prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage, to the end that the legal voters of the state may have an opportunity of settling the question of prohibition according to the wishes of the majority.

Hessized. That the senator and representa-tives from the 28th district are hereby request-ed to favor any measure that may come before the legislature looking to the submission of such an amendment to the people for their adoution or resection.

On motion the convention adjourned.

In their endeavor to answer Mr

Blaine's charge that the Democrats

in congress never did anything that

materialized for the public good, the

Bourbon press are recalling the fact

that a Democratic congress tried to

impeach Mr. Blaine. This is as bad

as the story of the old darkey who

prepared a switch to larrup his boy

for going fishing on Sunday, and had

to content himself with pounding the

old woman because it turned out that

the boy was at Sunday school during

THE 210 Suits at Stine's

y a unanimous vote.

The ballot resulted:

John H. Crocker,.... William Sturgis. . .

applause:

THE NOMINATIONS.

md J. P. Nicholson

gation, Carried.

on and Thomas Bahrer. Mdam W. H. Murphy.

Whitmore - James Lichtenberger, C.

Wheatland J. C. Roby and Charles

tials was adopted as follows:

Decatur.

Washington, Sept. 8.—In riminal court this morning, Judge Wylie, after some explanatory remarks to the jury, began his charge. A Speech by Capt. Rowell-The Amendment Question. He said: By the act of March 3, 1879, congress appropriated \$5,900,-The Republican voters of Macon county 000 for the maintenance of the star to the number of 69 met in delegate conroute service. That appropriation vention in the court house this afternoon was for the fiscal year of 1880. The for the purpose of nominating a representappropriation was all asked by the department. The records of the The convection was called to order at treasury and postoffice departments 2 o'clock by M. F. Kanan, chairman of showed that for the three previous the county central committee, and the years there was an unexpended balance of nearly \$4,000,000 to the official call was read by Jno. A. Barnes, credit of the postoffice department. On motion A. T. Hill was chosen tem-There was in evidence a statement porary chairman. He thanked the conshowing that the postmaster general, on December 8, 1879, had asked for vention for the honor conferred, and addressed the delegates at some length on the appropriation of \$2,000,000 to meet the deficiencies in the appro-On motion W. C. Johns, of Decatur, priation for the star route service. was elected secretary, and Juo. A. Barnes This was a statement calculated to arrest the attention of congress, for On motion of L R. Mills the chair apit showed that in five months after pointed C. N. Walls, of Macon; I. R. the beginning of the fiscal year, there Mills, of Decatur, and C. F. Emery, of was a deficiency of \$2,000,000. This A SPEECH BY THE NEXT CONGRESSMAN. While the credential committee was at work, Capt. J. H. Rowell, of Bloomington, the Republican nominee for congress in the 14th district, was invited to come forward and address the convention. He is a natural orator, a logical speaker, and withal a thorough Republican. He won

was a fact to alarm the country. An made out from proof of consequeninvestigation followed, and an addi ces following the conspiracy, said tional appropriation was made, with provisions limiting the expedition and increase of service upon routes. That was as far as the act of congress ought to have gone. The other circumstances were fit subjects for judicial investigation. This investigation followed, and an indictment was found against these alleged conspirators. This indictment might be said to have five features: First, historical; second, describing the conspiracy; third, the means; fourth, overt acts, and fifth, the partition of the money. The historical part was well known. As to the means used to carry on the conspiracy, the jury need not trouble themselves about that. Whether or not they were sufficiently described in the indictment was not for them to consider. The division of money depended upon the question of the existence of conspiracy, and that was really the consideration for the jury. Whether there was a conspiracy, fol-

lowed by the commission of overt acts. False papers and petitions were the means used. It never had been held that the government was required to accurately describe the means. Whether the parties were mutually interested in the several contracts was of no consequence. Their interest in the conspiracy must be considered. The parties were, according to the indictment, individual owners of contracts, and mutually interested only in the conspiracy. Any overt act under any one of the contracts was an overtact under all

of them

Referring to the defendants' the defendants was not made out prayers, Judge Wylie said that the without reasonable doubt, then they conspirators were jointly united for should acquit them, without regard the same purpose, and several for to any clamor or any opinion of the others. Each man stood on his own world. He should refuse to believe defense. The jury could not convict that any juror was so base a coward one man of conspiracy, but they as to refuse to follow his conscience. could convict two of the defendants If there had been only one overt act committed, and the jury acquitted the party committing it, then the defendants must all be acquitted. Brady had been called the key, the master key, to the whole conspiracy, and if no overt acts were shown to be committed by any other defendant, then they must all be acquitted. The position taken by the defense that all the defendants must be shown to have been interested in all to refuse to allow themselves to be Schroll.

Long Creek S. C. Davis, J. S. Jones the contracts was false. If it had influenced by these considerations. een shown that they were criminally interested in only one, that was the court if it was within his power to direct the jurors to freely and ful-

sufficient, and the conspiracy was stablished. Surplusage in the inlictment would not vitiste it. This indictment charged but one offense, one conspiracy. It could not comprise two conspiracies. Part of deendants might be wholly acquitted and part convicted, but if the jury that the law forbade the jurors to found two conspiracies—three of the parties guilty of one and the remaining four guilty of another, then the indictment failed. So much for the For county judge, J. A. Brown placed frame of the indictment; now as to Hon. Samuel F. Greer in nomination. Mr. Greer was nominated by acclamation. reduced to writing; they are generative. frame of the indictment; now as to

reduced to writing; they are generally entered into in a very informal way. The parties might reside in different parts of the country, but if by any means, even by dumb show, they entered into an agreement to defraud the government, followed by an overt act, that was conspiracy. The law required a verdict of guilty only when the jury entertained no reasonable doubt of the guilt of the defendants. The doubt, to be reasonable, must be based upon evidence, not upon mere conjecture. He would now take up one of the routes and see if it could be connected with any rational theory of innocence. If it could, the defendants

time reduced to ten hours, increas-

ing the compensation to \$6,133. De-

ducting an hour for delays at post

offices, the carrier was required to

travel the seventy miles in nine hours,

Petitions and letters had been sent

in, and it did not absolutely follow

that this expedition was fraudulent.

If the jury could reconcile it with

do it. Λ congressman of influence,

that must be considered. Soon af-

ter every postmaster on the route

united in a protest to the depart-

ment saying the time was impractic-

able, and asked to have the old four-

teen-hour schedule restored, and Ben-

taken, at which time the jury was ordered to report. St. Louis, Sept. 8 .- Andrew Wittig, an old man of 74 years, the keepwere entitled to the benefit of that Louis, was brutally murdered at an theory. He would select a small early hour this morning. It is not route—the route from Vermillion to known exactly how the act was com-Sioux Falls, D. T. The date of the mitted, but the circumstances show contract was March 15, 1878, to run that the grocery was entered be four years; John W. Dorsey, the tween midnight and daylight by burglars, and supposition is that the contractor; the trips were once a week; the distance fifty miles, to old man, who resides in the upper which two miles had been added; the time was fourteen hours; there were nine postoffices, but no towns on the route. Soon after the service was put on it was discovered that the actual distance was about seventy miles, and that information had been

part of the building with his family and heard the noise, got up, went down stairs, was assaulted by the robbers and dragged into the adjoinbricks, was found there by his wife distinctly and repeatedly furnished about 6 o'clock. A clew points to a to the second assistant postmaster general. On December 23, 1878, white man and a negro, who left for Cairo on the steamer Continental the number of trips were doubled. early this morning, as the murderers, On May 3, 1879, the route was pracand measures have been taken to tically assigned by sub-contract to have them arrested at the first point Vaile. On July 10, 1879, the num-the steamer lands. the steamer lands. ber of trips increased to six, and the

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 8.—An important political meeting is being held here, with closed doors, attended by the leading members of the independent Republicans, and some prominent stalwarts. The purpose is to have a compromise effected by the withdrawal of Beaver, and the substitution of a Republican like any theory of innocence they must Edward T. Steele, of this city, who is not identified with either of the Mr. Bennett, had asked for it, and warring factions.

Painting Class. Miss Hendricks will be pleased to have those wishing instruction in drawing and painting call at her residence, corner

Church and Green streets, during the remainder of this week.

MINERAPOLIS, Sept. 8 .-- At Winnenett indorsed this protest, and it was sent to Brady. Just at this point peg this morning two strangers enthis member of Congress seemed to tered the Merchants' bank and durhave lost his influence, for he was ing the temporary absence of the informed it could not be done. Af- teller, secured possession of \$10,000 ter reading the law relative to pro- in bills. No one saw the men near ductiveness, Judge Wylie inquired enough to be able to identify them, what productiveness had been in and the authorities are all at sea, as this instance. Reading from the the money was not bills of any parrecord, he said that for one year it ticular bank, and there is no way of had been \$261. He had called at | identifying it. tention to this route because it had

been asserted that members of Con-

gress were responsible for expedition.

expedited, at the request of a mem-

been refused to that same member.

while he was in prison.

Yet in this case, when it had been

ber of Congress, its reduction had

Concerning the false papers, said

the commission of fraud, his offense

This was about all that he should

say at this time. He wished finally

to remind the jury of the difference

between their position and his own.

If they believed the charge against

On the other hand, their duty to their

verdict of guilty if they so believed.

a passing remark. If his informa-

proached should feel indigment, but

they must not let that interfere with

their calm, dispassionate judgment,

Colonel Ingersoll rose and asked

ly communicate to one another all of.

the information they possessed touch-

Judge Wylie answered that he did

not wish that inquiry started in the

jury room. He would further say

carry into their room any of the

General Henkle desired immediate

investigation of the facts connected

with the attempted bribing of the

inrors, and punishment of the guilty.

He also noted a number of exceptions

General Henkle and Colonel Tot-

ten then went on at great length to

point out what they regarded as neg-

lected prayers, the court almost uni-

formly refusing to grant them. The

reading and discussion of these con-

sumed so much time that it was near-

ly 3 o'clock when the jury retired.

A recess until 6 o'clock was then

voluminous notes which he had per-

ing these attempts at bribery.

ceived they had made.

to the charge of the court.

s even more heinous.

BLUE RIBBON RIGS. The Usual Success of Wayne Bros. at the

"On their own merits most men are

dumb," and that's why the REPUBLICAN

again takes pleasure in speaking of the he, it had been argued that if they fine workmanship of Wayne Bros., proresulted in good to the public, then prietors of the "Keystone Carriage no criminal act had been done in Works' and of their grand exhibit in making orders upon them. This was | Manufacturer's Hall at the fair grounds no correct view of the law. He had this week. Their most elegant rigs were before referred to the case of Lord a barouche and a top buggy. The ba-Bacon, and wished now to read to rouche is the most elegant and luxurious the jury his letter to another Lord vehicle ever turned out of any shop. It was made for the owner, Mr. David S. Judge Wylie then read the letter, Shellabarger. The proper name of this and commented upon its fallacies. costly outfit is a platform barouche. It has a splendid extension top, spring cush-The proof of conspiracy might be ions, claborately upholstered in Morocco, the generous trimmings being of the same Judge Wylie, taking up another rich material. All of the cushions branch of the subject, and he real have spring backs. The iron supports from an English authority in support for the hed and the ebony fenders for the of this proposition, reciting the cirwheels, together with the gracefully forged steps on either side, are all the cumstances of the operations of what are known as "The three card monte work of skillful artists, such as are only men" in this city. He said that the employed at Wayne Bros. establishment only way in which their conspiracy The committee awarded the beautiful could be made out was by circumontfit the blue ribbon without a moment's stances following the actual swindhesitation. The top buggy, which also ing operation. There was one furcaptured the first premium, was incidenher topic he wished to refer to. tally referred to in these columns on yes-Among the prayers was one to the terday. It is confessedly the finest and effect that if it appeared that genumost elegantly finished rig of the kind ine papers appeared among the fraudever made in Decatur or brought here ulent papers filed in connection with from abroad. It is a side bar rig, suba route, then an order for expedition tantially made, and is finished in a varior increase must be attributed to the ety of colors, showing what the Wayne Bros, can do with the brush. The runinfluence of the genuine papers. Such a doctrine could not be toleraning gear is painted snow white, the other ted. The bad could not be saved by slindes being carmine, green and black. good, and vice versa. Parties com The top is a shapely affair, and the whole mitting frauds often found it to their outfit is a thing of beauty and usefulness. advantage to use some truth in their This buggy was made to order for the operations. Lies were of so impish owner, Mr. Chas. M. Caldwell, who is as a nature that they warred among proud of it as are the manufacturers. The themselves as well as being inconsistfirm also exhibited a great variety of their ent with the truth. Frand was not road earts, which find a ready sale here always falsehood, for he had seen and elsewhere. It is hardly necessary to fraud of a most abominable charac advise our readers to go to Wayne Bros. when they want stylish, handsome and ter with a line of truth marshaled at its front. The more truth that could substantial carriages and buggies. They be worked in, the better the chance will do that anyhow. of success. If you find a man employing both truth and falsehood in

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country required them to bring in a Sept. 9 dtd Do not buy a hat before you see the Yesterday's occurrences required largest and nobbiest stock ever brought to Decatur, at the Decatur One Price tion was true, then there were men Clothing and Merchant Tailoring Estab. YOU EXPEND. engaged in "fixing the jury." It lishment, corner of Old Square. was natural that the jurors so ap-Sept, 7 dawtr

Croaks, Dolmans, Children's Cloaks, Cr.OAKS, Dolmans, Children's Oloaks, is the place, Court House Block, Courter, Just received the first installment. Manameth Store Romer, each 150 feet Let them be so true to themselves as | Don't fail to see and pricethem when you get ready to buy. CHEAP STORE.

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Gured After Hot Springs Failed. Mr. Haskill, of No. 731, Michigan Avenne. Chicago, in a testimonial which may be seen at the Decatur Galvanic Infirmary, over the post office, says that he was cured by the Tongue Galvanic Treatment of chronic rheumatism of over three years' standing, after Hot Springs had failed to benefit him. Stacks of icstimonials from well-known citizens of this city and county can be seen at the this stock of desirable goods. same place, which will show that the Tongue Galvanie Treatment cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Dyspepsia, Sore Eyes, Deafness, and various other chronic and nervous diseases. Patients treated at home without extra charge. 6 (14w1

Don't Forget, er of a small grocery in East St. We give away 12 yards of good calico Louis, was brutally murdered at un with every purchase of five dollars or CHEAP STORE. 1 dawlw +

> Hospital Fair. All ladies interested in the proposed fair for the benefit of the Sisters' hospital are requested to meet at the residence of W. F. Busher, on Tuesday, Sept. 12, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., sharp, for the purpose of making the necesary arrangements. Sept. 8 d3

Laces and Embroideries ing alley. At all events his dead body, the skull smashed in with bricks was found there by his wife.

Big 18.

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Nathan Noecker vs. Catherine D. Noecker-In Chancery.

Notice is hereby given to said Catherine D.

Noesker that the above-named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said Cutherine D. Noceker, above-named defendant, returnable on the lirst day of the term of said court, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, on, the first Monday of December, A. D. 1882, gs is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk, OUTTER & VAIL, Complainant's Solicitors.

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FOUNT—A pocket limb containing money
was found on the Fair Grounds, vesterday
was found on the Fair Grounds, vesterday. which the owner can have by calling at No North Water street and proving property. Sentsd6 Arrive d. Gall voil a.

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STRAYED- From my stable yard, in Deca-blar, on Sept. 4, a combined roan and sorrest mare, agodationt 8 years, light nature and tail. Was going west when last heard of. A santa-ble reward will be paid for the return of the mare.

C. B. PRESCOTT,

LOST-Last evening, coming from the Bar-Just Church, a sush of each tobing silk and satin check. The finder will be suitably re-warded by feaving it at the store of R. Ladde.

CTRAYED - Aug. 33, a dark coloned cow, with white spot in the forehead, white spots on each flunk, and white under the bedly; brand on the left hap intended for a "D;" no car marks. When she left she had a leather strap on her head, and a tope in the ring. A suitable reward will be paid for her return to the undersigned, No. 38, South Broadway.

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Purchasers of Dry Goods and Millinery should know where to find the Best Assortment, the Newest and Best Styles, and the Most Goods for of the bride at Galena, Ill., on Thursday the Least Money. We honestly believe we fill evening, Sept. 21. Mr. Osborn was forthe bill. "Inspection solicited."

First installment of Cloaks, Wraps, Roman Circulars and Dolmans open and on sale. The finest line ever opened in this city.

Demorest's patterns just received. Millinery Merchandise received daily. Miss Hawkes in Tuesday, Sept. 26th, Thomas Bivins, the charge.

S. C. HATCH & BRO

NO. 10 MERCHANT STREET.

BIG SHOE STORE

13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.

LARGEST STOCK. LOWEST PRICES. BEST GOODS. DECATUR, ILLINOIS. l. L. FERRISS & CO.,

ATTENTION ALL!

D. DUSTMAN, FURNITURE DEALER

On the North Side of the City Park, is giving the

BEST FURNITURE

For the Least Money of Any House in Decatur. His Stock is all New. No Second-hand in Stock. Latest Styles Received Daily. Call and see him, and you cannot fall to be pleased with his goods and prices, wit 18--600

Juan received, the best stock of Bronzei Stand Lamps in the city, at

STATE fair at Peoria, Sept. 25th to 30th. Bey the premium Bohemian nickel

CHEAP STORE. 4 dawlw

rmyer's, on the Mound.

ble weddings in the 2d ward. New and second-hand school books, in

quantities to suit, at 5-d10d Hubbard & Swearingen. You can find any school book you may want at Wallace's Book Store.

To VISIT Lawrence or Slayton, Minn., go on the Ill. Cent. Excursion Sept. 12. Sept. 9 dfd

THE Illinois Midland railway pay car passed through Decatur yesterday and the paymaster handed out the welcome "dust" to the boys.

Dress Trimmings, Ornaments, Passamenteric, Trimming Velvets, Silks, Belts, CHEAP STORE. etc., etc.

go on the III. Cent. Excursion Sept. 12.

REWARE of imitations of L. L. Ferrisa c Co.'s Corn Cure. None gennine with-

den; secretary and treasurer, Mamie P. Wood. The meeting then adjourned to meet Oct. 2 at 7:30 p. M.

Rev. Z. Wharton, a leading member of the Ohio Conference of the Methodist Church, will preach at the First M. F. Church in Decatur next Sunday at 10:30 5- d5 w1

THE real estate transfers in Macon county during the month of August amounted to \$161,043.94. We are indebt-

THE fifth ward school house is progressing finely, and when finished will be a most acceptable and useful addition to that part of the city. It will be easy of access to the children, and avoid the in the vicinity of the Union Depot, which loss appeared on the track. It results for all the property of the Union Depot, which loss appeared on the track. It results for all the property of the Union Depot, which loss appeared on the track. It results for all the property of the Union Depot, which loss appeared on the track. It results for the Union Depot, which loss appeared on the track. crossing and recrossing of the railroads has always been attended with danger to

made of buying selling and exchanging second-hand school books. His stock of hese is now unusually complete.

Sept. 6 dx vtf Invitations have been received by sevral Decatur parties to attend the marringe of Mr. Henry Warren Osborn, of Crookston, Minn., and Miss Antoinette! Heron, which will take place at the home

To visit Storm Lake, Cherokee, Lemars, Sioux Caty, Shelden, Sibley or Rock Rapids, Ia., go on the excursion via the was greatly admired for its beauty and Illinois Central Sept. 12th. sep9.4td Os Tuesday, Sept. 12th, and again on

cheap excursions over the Wabash road from Decatur to Fort Scott, Cherokee, Parsons, Cherryvale, Columbus and Bax- fair. Each of the infants entered in the ter Springs, Kan., or to South Greenfield. Mo, round trip tickets good for 40 days with stop-over privileges. Fare from Decaine, \$15; remember the days and ${
m sep7\,d5d}$

THE fax levy in Decatur for 1882 for all purposes has been fixed by the council at \$51,700. The items are: public improvement, \$6,000; interest on bonds, \$5,600; sinking fund, 1891 and 1896, \$4,500; streets and alleys, \$4,500; sidewalks and crossings, \$5,500; lighting street lamps, \$1,500; police, fire, health and law departments, \$6,800; pump for water works, \$8,700; salaries of city officers, \$3,900; library and reading room, \$2,000; miscellaneous expenses, \$700.

Nice fresh oysters, the first of the season and the best in the land, now on sale at Frank Hall's Oyster Bay, on North

WANTED,-You to know that we are prepared to furnish you with school cooks and school supplies. Come and HURBARD & SWEARINGEN.

Mysteries of the Contessional. Rev. C. H. McKenna, O. P., the cele brated Dominican orator, will lecture on "The Mysteries of the Confessional" at St. Patrick's church, at 7:30 p. m., on Sunday, Sept. 10. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the new St. Theresa's 5d5d

To visit Sionx Falls, Salem, Canton, Mitchell or Chamberlain, Dakota, go on the Ill. Cent. Excursion leaving Decatur at 6 a. m. Tuesday, Sept. 12.

Harry Fukken, Harristown.

CLASS B-HOOSES, JACKS AND MULES.
Best cent under t year, D. W. Brenneman & Bro., Decatur, is and 2d premiums.
Best native draft horses any age, 1st premium, Brenneman & Bro.; 2d, Bwing & Rainey.

MACON COUNTY FAIR.

The Exposition a Financial Success.

The Baby Show-Bleycle Riding-Premi um Awards.

THE LAST DAY. The 25th annual exposition of the Ma on County Agricultural Board came to an end at the fair grounds on Friday evening at a late hour and proved a finanevening at a late hour and proved a financial success, whatever else may be said of it in other respects. The show of articles in the various departments was very good, comparatively speaking, and the exhibit of cattle and horses was undoubtedly as good, if not better, than any show at any other county fair in the state. The show of thoroughbred stallions and mares was certainly excellent, and the herds of Jerseys, Short Horns and Herefords were was certainly excellent, and the herds of Jerseys, Short Horns and Herefords were splendid. There was only one serious drawback to the fair, and that was the mismanagement, which was largely owing however, to the doggedness of exhibitors, who in many cases refused to obey orders promptly. President Willard fried to push things, but in spite of his efforts matters would drag along tediously, causing the crowds to grow weary early in the ing the crowds to grow weary early in the day and sigh for the comfort and quiet of their homes. Next year the managers should be prompt in observing the programme amounted, or har all laggards from the different classes. THE BICYCLE BACK

The first and most interesting contest in the ring yesterday was the exhibition bicycle race, half mile heats, best two in three, the first prize being \$15; second. \$10; third, \$5. Those entered for the contest were Messrs. M. L. Parker, cutter at J. R. Race & Co.'s; Frank Curtis, Frank Wells and W. H. Elwood. Mr. Parker gave his pupils 30 yards the start. The contest proved very exciting, and resulted in a well-curned victory for Frank Wells, as follows: as fallows:

Parker, 1 2 2 Curtise 3 3 2

Buy your school books at Hubbard & Swearingens. They will open wide both doors on Monday, and are anticipating a crowd.

Now get the premium Haines Bros. pianes and Western Cottage organs at G. B. Prescott's. He captured all the blue ribbons on instruments at the fair this week.

To visit Wayne or Norfolk, Nebraska, go on the Hl. Cent. Excursion Sept. 12.

Great interest centered in the contest for the special premium of \$10 offered by Sheriff W. W. Foster for the prettiest Reward of imitations of L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s Corn Cure. None gennine with out their name on every bottle. It is warranted to cure every time. Price 25 cents. Sept6-diff
Robert, Carre, Carre, vice president, L. C. Imboden; secretary and treasurer, Mamie F. Collowing were elected officers: President, N. E. Adams; vice president, J. C. Imboden; secretary and treasurer, Mamie F. Collowing were elected officers: President, N. E. Adams; vice president, J. C. Imboden; secretary and treasurer, Mamie F. Carred on every bottle. It is for the special premium of \$10 offered by for the special premium of \$10 offered by for the precision open to all mothers in baby, competition open to all mothers in baby, and a lift to the left of the grand stand, where were gathered seven pand a lift to the left of the prind thank where were gathered seven pand a lift to t

It was a "blood" race, and was the most interesting horse contest of the week.

Time, 1:50 and 1:51.

handsome sorrel, owned by Col. Bradshaw, of Bloomington. The places carned

Time, 2:50; 2:53; 2:53 and 2:49.

FAIR SQUIPS.
The receipts on the last day were about

for a clarionet in the band, watched the awards in the rings closely, and generally approved of the action of the committees.

or sale.
Miss bla Bering's Japanese silk quitt.

H. W. Fenton's "Agnes" captured three G. W. Davidson's "New Home" picture

selections by Goodman's band. Hon, J. A. Bace, of Pana, took in the fair yesterday.

Two of the boys taken into custody at

Pastest distributed walking horse under sud-io, special premium of \$5 offered by Thomas toner, the ribbon and prize given to Samuel

Stoner, one rioren and price average weather.

Best single driving horse, owned in Macon counts, driven by owner, turf horses excluded, special prendums of \$30 and \$20 offered by Theron Powers, R. R. Montgomery, D. S. Shelatosoger and B. Z. Taylor, and the fair bourd, 1st prendum to bon Hardy.

Best display of corn, not less than I hushed, three vorieties, special premium of one Haworth check rower worth \$25, offered by Haworth and sons, blue ribbon and prize given to M. P. Fonk, of Marcos.

three varieties, special premium of one mayorit check rower worth 25, offered by Hawarth check rower worth 25, offered by Hawarth and Sons, blue ribbonand prize given to M. P. Funk, of Marcos.

Best set of Indies' underwear, three pieces, be girl under by Sears, special premium of \$10 offered by F. L. Hays & Co., blue ribbon and prize given to Miss lida M. Shepherd, Niantie, Best sample of twenty ears of corn not less than Revarieties, special premium offered by V. H. Psrke, blue ribbon and prize given to M. P. Funk, Marca.

Best expestrianship by boy under 12 years, special premium of a silver watch offered by O. E. Curtis & Co., blue ribbon and prize given to Eddie Hoyt, of Harristown; second premium of boy's smile, offered by B. H. Hellman, given to Bennie Pickrell, of Harristown.

Best wax work, special premium of \$5 by Mrs. J. G. Willard, blue ribbon and prize given to Mrs. A. L. Ham.

Best horsemanship by lady or gent over 16, let premium of a fine, gold-mounted lady's riding with worth \$10, offered by J. G. Starr & Son, blue ribbon and prize given to Miss Minne Harristown.

Best horsemanship by lady or gent over 16, let premium, Alice Bering, Decatur, and Eddie Hoyt, Harristown, 24 premium, Helen and Harry Pickrell, Harristown.

CLASS B—HORSES, JACKS AND MULES.

Deat cold index 1 ver. D. W. Brenneman &

Matched and geldings, carriage teams, lst premium, Radelif & Bullard, Decatur; 2d, J. H. Dawson, Lovington.

Span light harness horses. 1st premium, R. R. Montgomery; 2d, Frank D. Caldwell.

Saddie pony mare or gelding, 1st premium, John Imboden; 2d, Scherry Johns.

MULES—Best span mules, 1st premium, J. R. Smith, Macon; 2d, P. H. Brueck, Decatur, Slagle mule over 3 years, 1st premium, P. H. Brucck; 2d, J. R. Smith, Mule-calt under I year, 1st premium, P. H. Brucck; 2d, J. R. Smith, Mule-calt under I year, 1st premium, E. Cariens, Jack any age, 1st premium, M. P. Funk; 2d, Davis & Lewis, Decatur, Roadsters, stallions 4 years and over, 1st premium, H. C. Lintner; 2d, J. Joseph Steams, Same, 3 and under 4, 1st premium, Adam Blenz, Decatur; 2d, J. T. Clough, Harristown, Same, under I year, 1st and 2d premium, D. W. Brenneman & Bro., Decatur, Mares, 4 years old and over, 1st premium, H. W. Fenton, Decatur; 2d, H. R. Montgomery, Sane, 3 and under 4, 1st premium, J. G. Willard, Harristown, 2d, J. J. Batchelder, Harristown, 2d, J. J. Batchelder, Harristown, 2d, and under 3, 1st premium, J. J. Batchelder, Harristown, 2d and under 3, 1st premium, J. J. Batchelder, Harristown, 2d and under 3, 1st premium, J. J. Batchelder, 2d and under 3, 1st premium, J. J. Batchelder, 2d and under 3, 1st premium, J. J. Batchelder, 2d and under 3, 1st premium, J. J. Batchelder, 2d and under 3, 1st premium, J. J. Batchelder, 2d and under 3, 2d and under 3, 2d and under 3, 2d and under 3, 2d and under 4, 2d and under 3, 2d and under 4, 2

OITY AFFAIRS.

Proceedings of the Adjourned Session of

DECATOR, ILL., SEPT. 8, 1882.
The alderman all being present the council proceeded to business, Mayor

Waggoner presiding.
On motion the reading of minutes was

The committee on public improvement

The committee on public improvement made the following report which was concurred in. Voting aye: Bramble, Cor, Dinneen, Gogerty, Parke, Schroll, Shlaudeman and Shoemaker. Voting nay: Hardy and Mills.

To the Hon. Mayor and City Council:

The committee on public improvement would recommend that a sewer two feet as dismester he mutdown in the 6th weed.

in diameter be put down in the fifth ward, commencing at the branch on Calboun

street and run north to the railroad, the

The following claims were approved and ordered paid: Abel & Locke, \$14.40; P. Loeb, \$37.16; Frank McKinley, \$9.75;

P. Loeb, \$37.10; Frank McKinley, \$5.75; Central Telephone Co., \$6; Morehouse, Wells & Co., \$41.39. Chims of Wm. M. Kramer referred to the committeee on police and fire depart-ment. Amount, \$7. The following resolutions were adopted: Pg. A41 Parke:

Resolved, That a gravel walk six feet

By Aid. Bramme:
That the walks on the east side of Cemetery street, from Lintner's corner south

By Add Mills:

That a crossing three feet wide he put down on Water street, south side of N. Macon street. On motion rules suspended and resolution adopted:

Resolution of Ald. Cox for a gasoline lamp corner of King and Monroe, and one corner of Green and Monroe streets,

referred to com. on gas.

A plat of John Imboden's addition to

Decatur was presented and referred to Committee on streets and alleys.
On motion of Aid. Showmaker the purchasing committee was instructed to purchase tiling sufficient to complete sewera

On motion of Ald. Hardy the action of

Ald. Shlandeman in relation to lighting lamps in park was endorsed. On motion council adjourned. GEO. P. HARDY, Clerk.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. P. Eckles has placed a handsome erandali in front of his new dwelling. Henry Hummell, who has been quite

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wells returned

Miss Jessie Gillett, of Elkhart, is the

Mrs. F. M. Cox and daughter Annie

Charles Barnes, a practicing lawyer at

B. H. Cassell is building a new wooden

front to his old brick dwelling on East

North street, which will give him consid-

Boy. A. L. Best, having sold his farm

near Oreana, will depart next week with

his family for Dade county, Mo., where

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Haworth and

Mr. and Mrs. Orendorf, who have been

boarding for some time, are now enjoy-

ing the pleasure of house-keeping in the

Mr. Best has purchased a large farm.

Boston, Mass., is in the city visiting his

parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Barnes.

erable more room than formerly.

ill for several weeks, is better to-day. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Wiley, or

Priday, a son - 9 pounds.

guest of Miss Belle Ewing.

visited Springfield yesterday.

home this morning.

to the church be widered. By Ald Mills:

By Ald, Parke:

Pine street.

W. H. BRAMBLE, F. M. Cox, Committee.

cost not to exceed \$3,000.

John H. Gogerty,

dispensed with.

John Irwin and others petitioned the council to put in a sewer commencing in the alley west side of Edward street, be-tween Macon and Decatur streets, and ending at the culvert on the north side of Decatur street. Referred to the commit-The ordinance committee presented an ordinance providing for the levy, assessment and collection of taxes for the fiscal year 1882, which was read and passed by the unanimous vote of the council on call

Same, 3 and under 3, 1st Deatcheider, Harristown, 2 and under 3, 1st premium, J. J. Batcheider; 2d, J. T. Clough, Harristown, Same, 2 and under 3, 1st premium, J. J. Batcheider; 2d, J. T. Clough, Harristown, Same, under 1 year, 1st and 2d premiums, E. Carcins, Deatr Houses—Stallion or gebling 4 years and over, 1st premium, Eyman & Hamilton; 2d, R. H. Henson & Co., Monticello, Same, 3 and under 4, 1st premium, D. W. Brennomat A. Bro.; 2d, R. H. Henson & Co. Ewing & Rainey, Forsyth; 2d, Aaron Moon, Forsyth, Same, under 1 year, 1st premium, A. C. Black, Macon; 2d, Samuel Weaver, Decality, Marc, 4 years old and over, 1st premium, Samuel Weaver, 2 and under 4, 1st, Samuel Weaver, Same, 2 and under 4, 1st, samuel Weaver, Same, 2 and under 4, 1st and 2d premiums, D. W. Brenneman & Bro., Same, one and under 2, 1st and 2d premiums, Same, ander 1 year, D. W. Brenneman & Bro., 1st and 2d premiums, Same, ander 1 year, D. W. Brenneman & Bro., 1st and 2d premiums, Same, ander 1 year, D. W. Brenneman & Bro., 1st and 2d premiums.

Samuel Weaver.
Same, ander I year, D. W. Brenneman & Bro.,
18t and 2d premiums.
Draft horses, native lot, horses any age or
sex, 1st premium, D. W.B.& Bro; 2d, Ewing &
Ramey.
CLASS H-HOUSEHOLD PARHUS.

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CLASS H—HOUSEHOLD PABRICS.

Rest rag curpet, Mrs. Martha Fletcher.
Rest calico patichwork quilt, 1st premium,
Mrs. J. N. Moore; 2d. Miss Belle Hanks.
Silk quilt, 1st premium, Miss Ida Rering; 2d.
Elh M. Chamley, Manchester.
Worsfed quilt, 3st premium, Ella M. Chum
ley; 2d. Mrs. C. A. Hall, Niantie.
Crochet or kalt quilt, 1st premium, Mrs. E.
B. Chamberhaln, Niantie; 2d. Isahel Gregory.
Wool socks, 1st premium, Mrs. J. E. Rendury; 2d. Mrs. M. P. Shropshire, Harristown.
Wool stockings, 1st premium, Mrs. J. N.
Moore; 2d. Mrs. C. W. Atlen, Harristown.
Wool stockings, 1st premium, Mrs. J. E. Bendurg; 2d. Mrs. E. B. Chamberhaln.
Golfon stockings, 1st premium, Mrs. Colfon stockings, 1st premium, Mrs. C. W. Tandy,
Harristown; 2d. Mrs. E. B. Chamberhaln.
Bucha pug. 1st premium, Mrs. G. W. Tandy,
Harristown; 2d. Mrs. H. Martin.
Henoth rag, 1st premium, Mrs. G. W. Tandy,
Sd. Ella M. Chumley.
Wax work, 1st premium, Mrs. A. L. Ham,
2d. Mrs. C. A. Hall.
Rairwork, 1st premium, Mrs. Kate Haw
thorme, La Pince; 2d, Mrs. G. W. Tandy,

Resolved, That a gravel walk ax feet wide be put down to grade on the west side of North Claurch, between West Main and Prairie street.

Resolved, That the West Prairie street sower be extended from College street to line street. 23, Billa A. CHRIGION.
Wax work, 1st premium, Mrs. A. L. Ham,
20, Mrs. C. A. Hall.
Rairwork, 1st premium, Mrs. Kate Haw
thorme, LaPinece 2d, Mrs. G. W. Tandy,
Shirt, band under, 1st premium, Mrs. J. G.
Willard; 2d Jeonie Targart.
Same, machine made, 1st premium, Mrs. A.
W. Alch.
Tacked shiet, hand made, 1st premium,
Mrs. A. W. Alien.
Same, machine made, 1st premium, Mrs. C.
A. Hall, 2d, Mrs. H. C. Alien.
Host display household labeles made and exintifed by one person, 1st premium, Ella M.
Clauntey 2d, Mrs. C. A. Hall.
Jimid embroidered table or piano cover, 1st
premium, Mrs. C. A. Hall; 2d, Ida Bering,
Hamisomest chair or oftoman cover, 1st
premium, Mass Mary French, Griggsville; 2d,
Miss Carrie Kome.
Skirt, cofton or linen embroidered, 1st premium, Mrs. C. A. Balt; 2d, Mrs. H. C. Allen.
Slik or chamille Shippers, 1st premium, Mrs.
A. Scott, becatur,
Fillow shames, embruidered, 1st premium,
Mrs. C. A. Halt; 2d, Ella M. Chamiley,
Same, braided, 1st premium, Mrs. W. W.
Magont,
Shawl, crochet work, 1st premium, Mrs. J.
Taggart.
Sacaue, crochet, 1st premium, Miss Mand Resolutions offered and referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings: By Ald. Bramble:

Manul.
Shawl, crochet work, let premium, Mrs. J.
Pagpurt.
Sacque, crochet, let premium, Mies Maud
Moore, Kentucky; 24, Mrs. H. C. Allen.
Ladres underwear, three pieces, let premium,
Mrs. A. W. Allen; 24, Miss Id. Revline.
Motto in cardboard, let premium, Mrs. John
Longstreet, Mnoor; 24, Allie W. Harchelor,
Harristown.
Table scatef, embroidered by hand, let premitium, Mrs. Jenne Tuggart; 24, Mrs. A. Scott,
Ric rac, 5 yards, let premium, Mrs. H. C.
Allen; 24, Miss F. A. Rodgers,
Crochet Inats, cotton, let premium, Miss
Mand Moore; 24 Mrs. C. A. Hall.
Tollet cushion, embroidered, let premium,
Miss A. Scott; 34, Mrs. C. A. Hall.
Tollet enshion, tsucy, Miss Jenne Ropers;
24, Mrs. C. A. Hall.
Chain stitching, let premium, Ella M. Chumlov; 25, Miss Carrie Ferro.
Scrap bag, 1-t premium, Mrs. C. A. Hall; 26,
Miss Ella Rogers.
Japanese work, let premium, Mrs. R. C.
Alien.
Applicate embroidery, 1st premium, Mrs. C.

muri. Magazine holder, 1st. premium, Miss Carrie-fenent 2d, Miss Effe Rogers. Stipper holder, 1st. premium, Miss Effa M. Chambey 24, Miss Carrie Fenen. Sofa cushlon, embroidered, 1st. premium, Sofa cushion, embroidered, 1st premium. dos Carrie Fenra. Carringe alphau, Et premium, Miss Ida Ber Crochet tidy, cotton, 1st premium, Mrs. C. A.

Crochet tidy, cotton, 1st premium, Mrs. C. A.
Hull; 2d, Mrs. J. A. Scott.
Grochet tidy, woolen, 1st premium, Mrs. C. A.
Hull.
Euncy tidy, 1st premium, Mrs. C. A. Hull;
2d, Miss Minme Montgomery.
Drawn work, 1st premium, Mrs. H. C. Allen,
Tapestry work, plettire, Miss Annie Jaux,
Lamp mats, 1st premium, Mrs. Mary French;
2d, Miss Eth M. Chumley.
Princy knitting, 1st premium, Mrs. E. C.
Chamberlain; 2d, Mrs. G. W. Tundy,
Lambrequin, 1st premium, Miss Mary
French, 2d, Miss Currie Fearu.
Transfer embroidery, 1st premium, Mrs. H.
C. Allen,

Direct net, 183 premion, 20
2 2 2 3 Mays Ella M. Chumdey, 18 silk, 1st premion of the control of

Miss Dia Bering; 20, Mrs. Journe Taggiett.

School extilier promities.

Decature-Pennanship: 1st premium, 2nd ward; 2nd premium, 4th ward. Spelling: 1st premium, 3nd ward. Arithmetic: 1st premium, 2nd ward; 2nd premium, 3nd ward. Arithmetic: 1st premium, 2d ward; 2nd premium, 1st premium, 1st premium, 1st premium, 1st premium, 1st premium, 1st premium, 2st ward; 1st premium, 2st ward; 2st premium, 2st ward; 2st premium, 2st ward; 2st premium, 2st ward; 1st premium, 2st ward; 1st premium, 2st ward; 1st premium, 4st premium, 4

THE CHURCHES TO MORROW.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Elder Pinkerton has returned from his vacation and will occupy the pulpit to-morrow morning and evening at the usual hours. Sunday School at 2 p.m. All are contially invited.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Mr. E. A. Gastman will rend a sermon at 1020 a.m. All are invited. Y. M. C. A.

RAILROAD MEETING. This service will be held in Eldorade hose house, providing that place is ready for use at 5 o'clock p. m. If not ready

Another crowded house greeted the apappearance of the Forbes Combination last night in "True Devotion," on which occasion Mr. Cotton and his accomplished daughter, Little Edalene, bore off the honors of the evening in their separate roles. The applause was almost deafening at times, and the andience went home delighted for the fifth time during the week. The play for to-night will be "Black Diamouds." A matinee is in pro-

Laces, Embroideries, Lace Neckwest, Novelties and Ornaments. CHEAP STORF.

IMMENSE!

Within the next five or seven days a Large and Elegant Assortment of

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DRESS GOODS

SILK AND CLOTH \mathbf{WRAPS}

Will be displayed on our counters; also a large assortment of

NEW AND BEAUTIFUL

CARPETINGS

AND DRAPERIES

of every description, and as usual the cheapest goods in the market.

Linn & Scruggs,

Decatur's One-Price Mr. and Mrs. James W. Haworin and Mrs. James W. Haworin and Mrs. and Mrs. D. S. Shellsbarger arrived home this morning from their protracted and extended tour in the east.

SUCH IS LIFE

PUSH OR RE PUSHED.

HATS has ARRIVED

The Merchant Tailoring Department

He now coral tele with the

which will be made up to order in the Late (St. les, and at process which DEFY COMPETITION.

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Closing Scenes and Incidents-

down the track in front of the amphithe-atre so all could see the premium infant who had been generously decorated with blue ribbons. A reporter chatted with a few of the disappointed mothers mean-while. They all seemed to submit grace-fully to the decision, but of course not one of them would agree that the prize was fairly bestowed. Of course not.

HORSE RACING. The running race, mile and repeat, followed. It was for a purse of \$200; \$100 to first, \$60 to second, and \$40 to third.

THE TROT. The 2:40 trot, mile heats, three best in five, did not fill, because less than four

Manager Haines, who furnished wind

evening, Sept. 21. Mr. Osborn was formerly master of transportation for the Hlinois Midland, and has hosts of friends friends in Decatur and Terre Hante.

The backmen charged 50 cents for the round trip all week. They all got rich on

baby show got one.
"The Mascotte" was one of the taking

Lots of Them.

THE posters are up announcing the fact that the Chicago Whitings and the Decatur Reds will cross bats at the park in this city on next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Miss Ella Bear, who has been spending

has returned home, and will take charge of her school in the primary department of the High School next Monday. Uncle David Martin and his brother, Dr. J. W. Martin, of St. Joe, Missouri, left for Jacksonville, yesterday, to spend Sunday with an aunt whom they have

the summer vacation in Pennsylvania,

not seen for thirty-five years. Capt. J. H. Rowell, of Bloomington, Republican candidate for congress in this district, was in the city to-day, and was ternoon, as was also Mr. Foster, of Logan county, Republican candidate for representative.

Henry Smith, the druggist on North Water street, spent a couple of days this week in the vicinity of Mansfield, Ill., engaged in the luxury of a chicken hunt, arriving home yesterday evening. He had only moderate luck in bringing down the game, but enjoyed the sport with a

For the best meals and best liquor call at the Palace Hotel. | Aug 20-dif MARKETSBY TELEGRAPH. The Closing Qualitions at Wilcox & Armstrong's Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. Tieday.

CORN-094 Sept; 60's Oct; 60's Nov; 56's Year; 5D; May, OATS-33 Sept. 4: , Oct. ... Nov: 32; jear: --- May. PORK - \$36.70 Sept : \$30 to Oct ; \$19.20 Nov.

WIFEAT-98% Sept (94% Oct (90% Nov) --

LARD-\$11.05 Sept; \$11.65 Get; \$11.62;

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.

Her/S -Estimated receipts, 2,600; shipments 488. Hare tangen, \$7.5666.\$8.52; mixeel, \$7.7666 \$8.45; henry, \$8 isw\\$9486; entitle receipts Receipts. Shipments, Car Lots. WHEAT 139,121 CORN...... 227,860

WHEAT-\$1.08% Sept; \$1.00% Oct; \$1.10% ANY
NOV: -- Dec; \$1.00% Year.
CORN-70% Sept; 78% Oct; 72% Nov; 67% without any Tolepo, Sept 9.

Nov: \$1,015 Dec: \$1.00 Year.

WHEAT-\$1.01 Sept; \$1.00% Oct; \$1.01

CORN-72% Sept: - Oct: 68% Nov; --

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SATURDAY EVENING, SEPT. 9, 1882. LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

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igars, manufactured by Schroeder. Democratic congressional convention

Bargains in every department. Call

Select extra fine family flour at Nied-

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THE PREPRIET BABY.

D. F. Hamsher's iron felloe dray, made for Mr. Hunsley, captured the blue rib-

the fair were lodged in the city calabouse PREMIUM AWARDS.

Mich.
Applique embroidery, 1st premium, Mrs. C.
Hall (24, Miss A. Seidt).
Larce work, 1st premium, Miss Laura Wikoff;
L. Mrs. C. A. Hummil.
Hem satching, 1st premium, Miss Nellie Durre; 23, Mrs. J.
Needle work, 1st premium, Mrs. Jennie Tagnort.

and extended tour in the east. Chamley, Largest and best display needle work made and exhibited by one person, let premium Miss like Hering (2d, Mrs. Jennie Taggart, semiol exhibit parameters).

STAPP'S CHAPEL Preaching by the pastor morning and evening. In the evening the pastor will present at the county convention this afpreach the minth of the series of twelve sermons on the doctrine of the Bible. Subject: "Everlasting Punishment." ons were generally distributed during the | Class meeting at 9 a. m.; Sanday School,

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

some other place will be announced. "Black Diamonds" To-Night.

eastern part of the city. Mrs. J. B. Loose, mother of Mrs. W. H. Musgrove, and also her sister, Miss Minnie Loose, both of St. Joe, Mo., are in the

2 p. m. Free seats and a cordial welcome Services at 1030 a. m. and 730 p. m. Sanday School at 2 p. m.

Regular services at 3/30 p. in. All are ordially invited.

gress this afternoon.

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AGENTS FOR BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.

Decatur, September 5, 1882 d\u00e4 wif

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FLEURY, the French Cutter,

The Daily Republican.

THE SKOODOOWOBSKOOK.

And there where the grasses the brooks kiss, In the prettiest kind of a nook, There the swift-running Skoodoowobskooksis Pours into the Skoodoowobskook,

O maid with the hair that is yellow,
"Tis time that your home you forsook;
Come over and live with a fellow
By the beautiful Skoodoowobakook.

Our lives like their streams shall com for Heaven no further we'll look; Then come—it is wrong to live single— O come to the Skoodoowobskook.

In this lovely terrestrial Edeu
Til teach you to fish with a book;
The fishes are pleaty, O maidee,
In the crystalline Skoodoowobskook!

Our food shall be trout from the waters,
Which you to your sweet taste shall cook;
Come fairest of Uncle Sam's daughters,
To the banks of the Skoodoowobskook.

—N. Y. San,

THE CHILDREN'S JOURNEY.

A Reminiscence of Southern Austria.

nead of the Guil of vehice, and a few stranger people than the Slovaks who inhabit it. Almost within sight of busy, bustling, populous Trieste, with its bristling masts, and crewded quays,

bristling masts, and crowded quays, and rattling carriages, and smart modern hotels, you come suddenly upon a district dotted with quaint little antique villages that seem to have been dropped by Santa Claus out of his basket of toys—villages which might well have Rip Van Winkle for chief magistrate, and the Seven Sleepers of Ephesus for tenants.

Up here on these warm dreary hill-sides, far from the busy world below, no one seems to be in a hurry, to get angry, or to excite himself in any way. The heavy wagons that creep along the

angry, or to excite himself in any way. The heavy wagons that creep along the broad white dusty road seem to go or not as they please, their "drivers" being usually fast asleep inside them. These four or five sallow, bearded, low-proposed, pagesty in gray freeks and

prowed peasants in gray frocks and high boots, who are munching their black bread and garlic in the shade of yonder tree, instead of chattering and

yonder tree, instead of chartering and laughing like their Italian neighbors of the valley, are silent as statutes. This meek little church of crumbling stone was built before the Turks entered Con-

stantinople, and the language of its builders is spoken here still
So completely, indeed, does the whole

So completely, indeed, does the whole of this strange region reproduce what the world was centuries ago that I feel quite out of place as I look out at it through the window of a modern railway ear, and hear a call for "tickets" in the midst of the enchanted ground. But even the railway seems to have bor-

rowed something of the character of its surroundings. For a whole hour we zig-rag at a creeping pace up a seemingly endies succession of terraced ridges crowned with dark clumps of thicket. Suddenly two or three heauti-

ful little patches of green, sunny vine-yard peep out at us from between two hugo black chifs, down one of which, like a fly walking on a wall, comes a

sturdy peasant, brown and shapely as a bronze statue, showing all his splendid teeth in a gam of indulgent contempt at sight of the crawling train. The taint

tinkle of a bell makes me look up to see

a herd of goats teeding high above my head, while the next moment I catch

sight of a little red-tiled cottage tucked away in the cleft of a rock as it playing

hide-and-seck.
At length our train struggles up to

the summit of the mountain with a shill whistle of triumph. We thrust our heads out of the window to see

our fields on the white where we have got to, when, lot right under our feet he the clustering white houses, and shining church domes, and

countless masts, and bright blue waters of Trieste which we left behind more

than an hour ago, as if bound by the same spell which kept poor Christoval

tramping tound and round the church all night, thinking he was going

But at this point a new turn is given

to my thoughts by the entrance of a group as picturesque as any painter could wish; three children—a brighteyed little fairy of eight, with checks as round and rosy as the apple which she is eating, a sturdy boy of eleven, whose they have been then his data.

sun-burned face is browner than his flat

sun-ourned face is browner than his hat leather cap, and a tall, slim, golden-haired girl about a year older, taking charge of the other two in a protect-ing, motherly way, which is simply ir-

But the first glance shows me that

their journey, whatever its object may be, is one of no ordinary importance to

themselves. All three have a grave, preoccupied look, the elder girl especially. Instead of prattling merrily, laughing, shouting and pointing out passing objects to each other, as children usually do on a railway journey, that sit close together in a corner and

they sit close together in a corner and

talk in whispers.

Even the grand scenery through which we pass, new as it evidently is to them, seems quite unheeded. Frowning

precipices; somber pine woods, black, tomb-like gorges; rock ledges just wide

enough for the train itself; over-hang-

ing witerfalls which go leaping and foaming from erag to erag down a scemingly endless descent; queer little

painted wooden station-houses, placard-ed with regulations in Italian, German

resistible

There are few stranger places in the world than the hilly region around the head of the Gulf of Venice, and a few oices shout, joyfully.

The floral bed is said to have been the

------Governor Crittenden, of Missourl, feels good because "there is a healthier feeling" in that State since the death of

Fortunes for Farmers and Mechanics

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

Seek No Further.

It is said an old philosopher sought an honest man with a lighted lantern, and

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Macon County Circuit Court.

William Mitchell, as committee of Alber Grant Williams, a limitic, vs. Albert Gran Williams.—No. 11475. DUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said Court at the May Term, A. D. 1882, I, John A. Brown, or SATURDAY, THE 16th DAY OF SEPTEMBER,

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The illustrated journal which I con-The illustrated journal which I contrive to let fall as if by accident on the chanics in their business transactions; and that misrepresentations are resorted and that misrepresentations are resorted seat nearest to them remains equally to where there is no ment, and for the unnoticed for a while But at length I purpose of deceiving the plain unsuspectsee the vounger girl-eyes beginning to turn that way. Pre-ently she slips off her seat, and sidles up to the tempting paper, and then, having satisfied her-self that I was not looking at her, she seizes it in her plump little hands, and

is soon deep in one of the greatest en-joyments of childhood - "looking overa whole lot of pictures" But as we approach St. Peter's the other two children, become visibly restless and excited, looking constantly out ale will be winder recompiling and the po-baser will obtain deed on approval of sale b be said riccuit court — JOHN A BROWN, By order of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., if CRIA & EWING, Solicitors for Complainan Aug 10—d&wild of the window as if watching for something which they are eager to see. Even the little student of my paper, with whom I have struck up a conversation in German, soon forsakes me to join the GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.
TRADE MARK The GREAT TRADE MARK ENGLISH
REMEDY.
An unfailing watch; and I hear the boy mutter dis-

consolately "Why don't the train go quicker?"
We shall never get there!"
Can they be bound on a picnic think
I; but they look for too grave and troubled for that. Are they going home from school? but who would think of living in a desolute place. Self-Abuse, as loss of Memory, Universal Lagitude, Pain in the Back, Dinness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Graye. that lead to instant, or consumpted which premature Grave.

EF Full particulars in our pamphlet which we desire to send tree by mail to every one.

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"Please, when anybody grows blind, not from a blow or anything like that, but with something growing over their eyes, can they be made well again?" "Very often they can, when they have a good doctor; but why do you

Sep7-d&wtf And then the whole story comes out. LEAVE orders at Cole Bros.' drug store Their father, a retired Austrian officer, at the New Deming and St. Nicholas Ho-tels for Lintner's carriages and omni-buses. Also send orders by telephone to the office on South Main street. Calls made at all hours of the day and night. has become blind from cataract; and famous German oculist, an old friend of his, has taken him away to a country bouse among the hills between St. Peter's and Adelsberg, in the hope of Passengers and baggage transferred to and from all trains and to all parts of the city promptly. Nov29-dtf restoring his sight by an operation "And it was to be done last night," city promptly. says Theresa, the elder girl, "and papa was to start home this morning. But we couldn't wait until he came, and he

ORDER soft nut coal of F. D. Caldwell and he will deliver it to you nicely screen ed. Office with American Express Co. wouldn't be able to send us a message so we got leave from aunt to come and March 23-dtf m ourselves, as she wasn't well enough to go with us. He's sure to be STINE'S \$10 all wool Cassimere Suits. at St. Peter's station when we get

M5-dtf

HOME, FARM AND GARDEN. "And his eyes will be quite well again—I'm sure they will! cries little Ratring excert. "Dr. Ulrich is so -Never buy guano for your plants and flowers when you have a plenty of soot from chamneys. A pint of soot in a pail of water is just what they want.

— Iowa State Register. again—I'm sare they will.

Ratrina, eagerly. "Pr. Ulrich is so eleaver, and he's cured so many people, and papa's such a friend of his, I'm sure he'li cure him too"

"I hope he will, indeed," says her brother, earnestly. "Poor papa! it's so horrid to see a great strong man like him led about just like a baby, and not able to read any stories, or watch his deavers coming up so nicely, after tak-

-Orchards are far preferable to open fields for poultry farm purposes; the shelter of the leaves in summer is very beneficial. Worms and caterpillars fal-ing from the trees are consumed, wind-falls are made use of, instead of harborable to read my sources, or water his flowers coming up so nicely, after taking all that trouble with them! I will give a shout if he's really cured."

"There's the station" cried Theresa, almost throwing herself through the window in her curerness. "and there's ing vermin, which again creep up and destroy good fruit. almost throwing herself through the window in her cagerness, "and there's a man standing on the platform all by himself. Can that be pupa?"

A whistle, a clank, a long creaking groan, and the train comes to a standstill. But almost before it has stopped, the door this onen and the payt recommend.

-One of the most brilliant of garden One of the most brilliant of garden flowers is the gladiolus. Some of the new French varities are especially fine, and make a grand display. The cultivation of the gladiolus is very simple. It thrives in any good garden soil, and the bulbs may be planted from the last of April to the middle of June. They should be set four or the inches doon. should be set four or ine inches deep. N. Y. Examiner. -Flax-growing is getting to be an important industry in the newer por-

the door flies open, and the next moment I see the children hanging in a cluster upon a tall, fine-looking man with a thick gray mustache, while three "Papa! papa! you see?"

"Yes, dears, I see, thank God!" says
the old soldier, fervently; "and when
the doctor was going to begin, I laid
your portraits beside my chart, that they
might be the first thine I care." a good crop on new lands, and pays well, the seed being always in demand, while there is an increasing demand for the straw for making twine. The pres-ent yield in the United States is between might be the first thing I saw."

There were not four happier people, I will answer for it, in all Austria that two and three million bushels of seed, and an estimate of 19,000 tons of fiber. day, and the remembrance of that meet-Fried Chicken: Parboil your chicken Fried Chicken: Parboil your chicken until very tender. Drain. Have some butter melted in a frying-pan, and fry quickly. Take out your chicken and add a little flour, pepper and salt to the butter. When this boils, pour in a little milk and a few spoonfuls of chicken gravy. Be careful and don't let it get too thick. Pour over the chicken. This is a delicious way of cooking a fowl.— Denver Tribane.

—Here is a little arithmetical probing is still among the brightest of my traveling recollections.—Bacul Ker. -- In New York recently there was a christening party at a private residence on Fifth avenue at which the infant was on ritin avenue at which the infant was brought before the assembled company in a cradle composed entirely of the rarest flowers, the baby reclining on a blue satin blanket covered with lace.

-Here is a little arithmetical problem which we find in an exchange. If with an old hoe a man can do but four-fifths as much work in a day as he can with a new one, labor costing \$1.50 per day and a new hoe sixty-live cents, how any and a new hoe sixty-live cents, how much will be have gained at the end of two and a half days by using the old one? The moral of the answer is plain. If you would have good work and much the distinguished Mr. James. Mr Crittenden says that travel has increased, the people now teeling more secure while rading on the rail.—Indiana State Scottered. work, have good fools and keep them

cleau.

Fortunes for farmers and Mochanics
Thousands of dollars can be saved by using proper judgment in taking care of the health of yourself and family. If you are bilions, have sallow complexion, poor appetite, low and depressed spirits, and generally debilitated, do not delay a moment, but go at once and procure a bottle of those wonderful Electric Bitters, which never fail to cure, and that for the triing sum of fifty cents. Tribune. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. -Unless hay and grain or oil cake be given to sheep as an extra feed, mere feeding of sheep on a pasture cannot add to its fertilizing matter, but when these animals have even a small amount of oil cake, for instance, the advantage to the pasture is at once observable. As the supposed cariefment of a pasture by sheep is all the dressing that some fields have had for years, there is no wonder that pastures become worn out -Germantown Telegraph.

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Jan. 31—dewl1 1

Sing, O Sing That Song Again. How can you when you cough at every breath? Why, get a bottle of Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, and you will be answered. It cures colds, coughs, consumption, whooping cough, and all discusses of the lungs, and it will cost you nothing to test it if you call at Dr. A. J. Stoner's damagative. cases of the blood, removes pumples, and acts promptly upon the liver and urmary organs. Only 50 cents a bottle, to be had A Novet and Perfect Cure for Scroftia Salt Rheum, Cancer, Etc.

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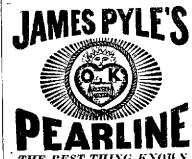
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